

Fireladies Set Schedule for New Season Mrs. Isbell Wins Mexico Tour Prize

The regular meeting of the Torrance Fireladies was held recently in the home of the president, Mrs. Walter West. Plans for the new year were discussed and committees formed.

Initiation Dinner Set For Junior Women

Mrs. William Sullivan and Mrs. Leonel Clotworthy will be initiated into the Junior Woman's club at the initiation dinner to be held on Wednesday, January 25.



MISS DOROTHY MARKHAM, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. Veazie Markham, 23317 Hawthorne Blvd., attended the Ecumenical Student Conference on the Christian World Mission, conducted December 27 through January 1, on the Ohio University campus.

They were introduced at the recent monthly business meeting held by the organization.

At the meeting, Mrs. Barton Tatum asked all members to be on the look out for obscene and horror comic books being sold on magazine stands.

Mrs. Tatum also announced that the club is sponsoring a new Brownie troop, Troop 508, under the leadership of Mrs. D. G. Loy.

Mrs. Frank Kelley reported on the forthcoming annual Valentine Charity Ball to be given by the Jared Sidney Torrance Memorial Hospital Auxiliary.

Mrs. Ray Lires, fine arts chairman, reported that a group of the Juniors are forming to present a play on the night of the co-ordinator's party.

Rebekahs Will Hold Benefit Card Party C.D.A. Joins Knights for Mardi Gras

Torrance Rebekah Lodge 347 will hold a public card party and dessert luncheon on Wednesday, January 25, in the Masonic Temple, 1321 1/2 Sartori, at 12:30 p.m.

Court St. Catharine, Catholic Daughters of America, and Los Crusados Council, Knights of Columbus are planning a Mardi Gras dance for Saturday, February 11, at the Knights of Columbus hall, 214 Avenue I, Redondo Beach, beginning at 9 p.m.

Ray King's orchestra will provide the music.

Mrs. E. K. Cunningham is chairman for the C.D.A. and Martin O'Malley is chairman for the Knights.

The C. D. A. committee includes: Mesdames Dennis Flacy, Jerry Young, James Fornelli, Clifford Hudson, John McVey, Gerald Reveil, and Joseph Ce-moore.

The committee members for the Knights are: Gus Franchi, Gerald Reveil, Clifford Hudson, Ralph Brady, Al Piasano, and Lou Fucci.

Southern style hickory smoked ribs and beans will be served after the dance.

The affair is open to all members of the C. D. A. and the Knights of Columbus. Members desiring to make reservations may call Mrs. E. K. Cunningham, DA. 6-4678.

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Women... Club News Society News NORALEE BENEDICT, Woman's Editor



TOPS... That's what Arlene Lesar is, officially speaking. Miss Lesar has just been re-elected student body president of North High. The attractive young co-ed plans to go on to college to study psychology and sociology. She likes all sports and dancing. See Bonnie Williams' column, "Saxon Hi-Lites," (Page 4) for names of other officers.—Tak Isobe Photo.

Gypsies Spice Beau Jardin Club Meeting Delphians to Hold District Assemblage

The first meeting of the new year for Beau Jardin Garden club was held at the home of Mrs. Philip Rice, 22515 Warm-side avenue, with Mrs. George Smith as hostess.

A gypsy theme was carried out in decoration and refreshments, and the members came dressed as gypsies.

An auction was held with prizes going to Mesdames Kenneth Harmon, Myron Langwell, and William Adkins.

Mrs. Myron Langwell was welcomed as a new member and presented with a corsage by Mrs. L. D. Burt, president of the club.

Mrs. William Cressy gave a timely talk on "Bare-Root Planting."

It was announced that the Beau Jardin and Greenthumbers Garden clubs would work together with the South Bay Garden club on the coming annual convention of the California Garden clubs to be held in Los Angeles from May 9 to 12. The Beau Jardin Garden club is a member of the State Council of Garden clubs.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday, January 25, at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Moe, 22529 Warmside avenue.

The guest speaker will be Mrs. Lydia Birt, who operates a Specialized Garden Service. Her topic will be "Sub-tropicals in the Landscape," which will cover treatment of ground covers.

Present at the meeting were: Mesdames George Smith, Philip Rice, William Adkins, Kenneth Moe, Leo Hayes, Myron Langwell, Albert Yackie, Robert Hill, William Cressy, John Blair, L. D. Burt, and Kenneth Harmon.

The Los Angeles District Assembly of the Delphian society will meet for luncheon today, January 19, in the Pacific Ballroom of the Statler hotel. Mrs. Herman Saunders, president, will call the assembly to order at 12 noon.

Prominent Beverly Hills psychiatrist, J. Victor Monke, Ph.D., M.D., will speak on "Ways in which the Mind Responds to Stress." Now in private practice, Dr. Monke was, for two years, head of the women's division at the Veterans Neuro-psychiatric hospital in Los Angeles.

Fashions in furs by T. V. Grant and hats by Louise Morgan will be presented by Mrs. Harold Mazur, program chairman, to entertain the group during luncheon.

The executive board will meet at 10:30 a.m. to elect a nominating committee and consider revision of the by-laws.

Hostesses for the event are the assembly officers: Mesdames Herman Saunders, J. Victor Monke, Harold Mazur, Peter Masterton, Gordon Elliott, Stephen Van Norman, Allen Pyeatt, Robert Wright, Alvin O'Brien, Arnold Laver, and Robert Albrecht.

Initiation Held For Women Of Moose

The recent meeting of the Women of the Moose was held in the Moose Hall on Carson Street. Two new members were initiated into the chapter. They were Clara Bower, sponsored by Wilverta Heiman, and Penelope Hamis, sponsored by Charmagne Hobbs.

Merle Bales, Joy McCune and Victoria Kavathur were voted into the Chapter.

Wednesday, January 18, was Joyce Clay's "Green Bean Night."

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NATIVITY CATHOLIC CHURCH—1447 Engracia Avenue, Rev. Patrick McGuintess, Pastor. Telephone FA 8-2778. Schedule of Masses and Services, Seven Sunday Masses—6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, 11:00 and 12:15. One Mass at 9:30 A.M. in St. Joseph's Church, 2214 W. Del Amo Blvd. (Pueblo), Torrance. Inquiry Class into the truth of Religion every Thursday night at 8:00 P.M. in the Rectory, 1447 Engracia Avenue. Confession Three Times on Saturdays—10:00 to 11:00 A.M., 4:00 to 8:00 P.M., 7:30 to 9:00 P.M. Baptisms Saturdays and Sundays at 2:00 P.M. First Communion Class and Infant Care at Nativity Annex, 1415 Engracia Ave., on Sundays from 9:45 A.M. to 11:00 A.M.
THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH—521 Prado at Manuel Avenue, Rev. John L. Taylor, Pastor. Minister, Church School for all ages, 9:00 Early Worship Youth Choir church school fourth grade and below 10:00 Church School, all ages, extended sessions fourth grade and below 11:00 Morning Worship—Adult Choir, Infant care from 9:00 to 12 A.M. 6:30 High School Youth Fellowship.
FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH—Located on Carson Street and Flower Avenue in Torrance, Rev. Paul Wenke, Pastor. Residence 2550 El Dorado. Phone FA 8-3249. Church Office, 1726 Flower Avenue, FA. 8-3284. First Church Worship, 8:00 A.M.; Sunday School, 9:30 A.M.; Second Morning Worship, 10:45 A.M.
FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—218th Street at Manuel Avenue, Sunday School, 9:30 A.M.; Morning Service, 11:00 A.M.; Wednesday Evening Meeting, 8:00 P.M.; Reading Room, 1617 Cabrillo Avenue, Open 10:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. daily except Sundays and holidays. Monday and Friday evenings, 7 to 9 P.M.
CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE—1501 West Carson Street, Rev. Freeman A. Brunson, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Youth Groups, 6:30 P.M.; Evening Service, 7:30 P.M.; People's Meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 P.M.
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Carson at Manuel, Rev. C. Miles Northrup, Pastor. Nathan H. Bond, Assistant Minister. Church phone, FA. 8-5020; Northrup, FA. 8-8405. 9:00 and 11 A.M. duplicate church services; 9:00 A.M. Jr. and Primary classes; 10:00 A.M. Jr. Church Youth & Adult Classes, Training Union, 6:30 P.M. Evangelistic Services, 7:30 P.M.; Mid-Week Service, Wednesday, 7:30 P.M. Nursery for every service.
ASSEMBLY OF GOD REVIVAL TABERNACLE—Normandie at 250th Street, Harbor City, Calif., Rev. and Mrs. Fred Martin. Services: Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Evangelistic, 7:30 P.M.; Tuesday, 7:30 P.M.; Thursday, Young People, 7:30 P.M.
FOUR SQUARE CHURCH—1207 El Prado; telephone, FA. 8-5736. Rev. and Mrs. James P. Lower, Pastors. Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 A.M.; Morning Worship, 10:45 A.M.; Group Services, 6:30 P.M. (V. P. Collins, Director); Evangelistic, 7:30 P.M. mid-week; Wednesday, Bible Study at 7:30 P.M.; Public invited.
LOMITA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—245th Street at Woodward Ave. (Near Lomita Boulevard and Normandie Avenue), Rev. Eldon Durham, Minister. Residence, 25507 Oak St. Telephone DA. 6-0179. Sunday School, 9:30 A.M. and Morning Worship, 9:30 and 11 A.M. Westminster Fellowship Youth Groups, 6:30 P.M.
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF TORRANCE (Disciples of Christ)—2950 El Dorado Ave., Rev. H. Milton Spiller, minister. Residence, Shreve, FA. 8-4583. Two sessions of Church School and Morning Worship 9:30 and 10:50. Nursery provided for both sessions. Chi Rho 5:30. Christian Youth Fellowship 7:00.
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF GARDENA—16414 Dalton Ave. (Between Western & Normandie Ave.) Summer schedule: Bible school 9:15; Church, 10:15; Junior church, 10:15; Midweek services at 7:30 on Wednesday. Rev. Maurice Knoll, Pastor.
TORRANCE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH—Located on Acacia and Sonoma in Seventh-Day Adventist Bldg. E. L. Thurmond, Pastor. Resident Phone, Terminal 4-4967. 9:45 A.M. Sunday School; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; 8:30 P.M. Bible Study; 7:30 P.M. Evangelistic Service; Prayer Meeting, Tuesday, 7:00 P.M.
KEYSTONE ASSEMBLY OF GOD—21914 Moneta Ave., Keystone, Pastor Charlotte Sheok, DA. 6-6861. Sunday School 9:45; Preaching 11 A.M. Evenings Evangelistic Service 7:45 P.M. Sundays, Mid-Week, Thursday 7:45 P.M.
THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF TRUTH (Spiritualist)—Masonic Hall at 1906 1/2 Gardena Blvd. Sermon, Healing, Spiritual Messages Sunday School at 10:15 A.M.; Morning Worship at 11:00 A.M. We extend a cordial invitation to the public.
CENTRAL EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH—Corner of Arlington and Berwick, Walter M. Stanton, pastor. Sunday School 9:30 A.M. Morning Worship, Sunday 11:00 A.M. Christian Endeavor and Evening Worship, 6:30 to 8:00 P.M. Mid-Week Bible Class, Wednesday 7:30 P.M.
CHURCH OF RELIGIOUS SCIENCE (Masonic Temple)—Corner of Ruby and Catalina streets, FE. 4-5331. Redondo Minister, Dr. Earl D. Barnum. Services 9:30 and 11 A.M. Sermon Title, "Religious Science—What It Does." Times of Church and Meetings, 11 A.M. Inspirational.
TORRANCE SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST—1610 Acacia avenue, Elder Glenn L. Coffar. Phone: Rectory, FA. 8-1640; Residence, FA. 8-3255. Sabbath School, 9:15 A.M.; Church Services, 11 A.M. Bible Study, Wednesday, 7:30 P.M.
IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH (Missionary Strand)—708 Knob Hill Avenue, Redondo Beach. Near Southwood Park; west of Hawthorne, south of Sepulveda. Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Worship Service, 11:00 A.M. Pastor: A. L. T. Scheuts; FRontier 5-9535 or 5-7055.
CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH—Meeting at the Crenshaw School, 18620 Crenshaw, Maynard V. Midthun, Pastor. Residence, 2226 West 179th; phone DA. 9-3455. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Divine Worship, 10:45 a.m. Child care and nursery provided.
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Park and Newton Streets in Walters. Rev. L. P. Hunsley, Pastor. Fellowship 6-4703. Bible School at 9:30 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Young People's Service at 6:00 P.M.; Inspirational Gospel Hour at 7:00 P.M. Wednesday, 7:30 P.M., Bible Exposition and Prayer.

At the recent lodge meeting, Katherine Vash, noble grand, welcomed visitors, Mrs. Gladys Yost of West Virginia, and Mrs. Bertha Landers of New York. Plans were made for future activities of the lodge. Refreshments were served by Angeline Disario and her committee. The tables were decorated with camellias. Mrs. Vash has scheduled a short business meeting for Wednesday, January 25, at 7:30 p.m. and invited interested persons to see Ethel Crause, district deputy president of District 66, and her staff display their floor work. The Fun and Fund club of Torrance Rebekah Lodge 347 met at the home of Floella Whitacre, 1550 Marcelina, recently. The members voted to change their meetings to the second Monday of each month. The club presented their lodge with a gift of three briefcases. A pot luck luncheon was served and the afternoon was spent in playing canasta.



CARDS, ANTONIE? ... Making plans for the annual C.D.A. card party are the chairman and co-chairman, Mrs. Joseph Terkman and Mrs. John Gitschier. There will be door prizes and prizes for the games. All proceeds from the party will go to the Catholic Scholarship fund. The committee for the affair includes: Mesdames Phillip Halloran, William Davies, A. D. Snow, Andrew Rabel, and Paul Hintgen. Press Photo.

Lomita-San Pedro Council Schedules Mothers' Drive

At the January meeting of the Lomita-San Pedro council C.C.P.T., held at the 15th Street school, Mrs. E. N. Reese, March of Mothers' chairman, announced that the Polio Drive is scheduled for Tuesday, January 31, from 7 to 9 p.m.

Mrs. George D. Weeks presided; and Mrs. Howard Lane, president of 15th Street P.T.A. led the group in the flag ceremony.

An inspirational message was read by Mrs. J. O. Powers, home service chairman.

Lester Kaems, principal of 15th Street school, welcomed the group.

Mrs. A. C. Ackerson, child welfare chairman, reported on the projects completed and those to come as good deeds of the month. February project will be pencils for Korla. March project will be egg shells, and April project will be used greeting cards.

Mrs. Peter A. Brutti was appointed as chairman for the June breakfast. She will be assisted by Mrs. Louis Miller, president of Point Fermin. Mrs. Charles Hilzer, president of Harbor City, Mrs. R. E. Pratin, president of 25th Place school, Mrs. George Val Buena, president of Channel Heights, and Mrs. James Peacock, president of 7th Street school.

Elected to serve on the Los Angeles 10th district credential committee were Mrs. William Shier and Mrs. Wesley Lee. Elected to serve on the district election committee was Mrs. A. C. Ackerson.

The council voted to send a donation to the Health Center in memory of Carl Rhodes, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Rhodes. Mrs. Rhodes is record book chairman of the Lomita-San Pedro council.

Mrs. George D. Weeks, president, announced that Mrs. Eric Heitzman is the new Harbor regional director.

In a program arranged by Mrs. Peter A. Brutti, program chairman, Mrs. A. C. Ackerson showed slides of the Health Center building.

After the meeting, luncheon was served by members of the 15th Street school P.T.A. with Mrs. Harry Lane as chairman. The tables were decorated by Mrs. Thomas Okimoto. They were done in a seashore motif.

Garden Club Plans Flower Design Tea

Members of the Torrance Terrace and Garden club met at the home of Mrs. Alfred Fiorelli, 1003 Acacia, to make further plans for the forthcoming Flower Arrangement Tea to be held at the YWCA, 2320 Carson, on Wednesday, January 25, at 1:30 p.m.

Mrs. Marion Stockton, noted lecturer and flower arrangement teacher, will be guest speaker for the tea. This gracious flower festival will be open to the public. Tickets may be obtained by calling Mrs. Dewey Quigley, FA. 8-3327, or Mrs. John Thuss, DA. 6-0077. Tickets will also be available at the door on the day of the tea.

Mother's Circle Schedules Sale

Lomita DeMolay Mother's Circle is planning a rummage sale, Thursday February 16. Anyone wishing to donate rummage may have it picked up by calling: DA. 6-4867, DA. 6-1163 or DA. 6-6655.

WELCOME TO TORRANCE... FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT CARSON AND MANUEL STS., TORRANCE C. MILES NORTHRUP, PASTOR

- 6:30 P.M. Fellowship Training School
7:30 P.M. Evening Service
Wed. Prayer and Praise Service, 7:30 P.M. A Nursery is provided for all services. Also sound-proof mothers' room in balcony.
9:00-9:50 Early Church Service
9:00-9:50 Junior and Primary
10:00-10:50 General Sunday School
10:00-10:50 Junior Church in Main Sanctuary (for Junior and Primary Depts.)
11:00 Regular Church Service
11:00 Story Hour—pre-school children. Nursery provided for all services.

Triple-T Sets Anniversary Celebration

The twentieth anniversary of the Triple-T Dance club will be celebrated on Saturday, February 4, with a dance held in the banquet room of the Palms restaurant.

The affair will pay special honor to the charter members of the club.

Mr. and Mrs. John Melville will hold a cocktail party in their home preceding the anniversary dance.

The club held their guest night recently at the Hacienda hotel. It was the first dance to be held under the supervision of the new committee which includes: Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Bauman, Mr. and Mrs. John Tweedy, Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Larson, and Dr. and Mrs. Eugene L. Cook.

Pastor Will View Nature

Sunday services of the Church of Religious Science, the junior church, and the Metateens will be held concurrently at 11 a.m. in the Masonic Temple, Ruby and Catalina streets, Redondo Beach, according to Dr. Earl D. Barnum, minister. A nursery, with a professional nurse in charge, is provided.

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